

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the application of:

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Examiner: Melissa A. McCorkle

STATUS INQUIRY

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
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Dear Sir:

This correspondence is being filed for the purpose of requesting a status report of this pending application. On November 14, 2006, a Restriction Requirement Office Action was mailed and timely replied to on November 22, 2006. On February 5, 2007, a Non-Final Office Action was mailed, indicating that elected claims 1-11 were rejected. On May 4, 2007 a Response to the Non-Final Office Action was filed amending claim 1, cancelling claims 12-14, and adding new claims 15-23. It has now been nearly two years without activity in this case. Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request a status report, indicating when a reply to the Response filed May 4, 2007 can be expected.

Dated: March 5, 2009

Respectfully submitted,

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